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Welcome to worship as we celebrate this Sunday. If you are using your laptop, tablet, or phone to join in the livestream at 8:30am & 11:00am <http://bit.ly/SLCworship>.

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## **Prelude**

## **Confession and Forgiveness**

*(Please stand as you are able)*

**P:** Blessed be the holy Trinity, one God, who forgives all our sin, whose mercy endures forever.

**C: Amen.**

**P:** God of all mercy and consolation, come to the help of your people, turning us from our sin to live for you alone. Give us the power of your Holy Spirit that we may confess our sin, receive your forgiveness, and grow into the fullness of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord.

**C: Amen**

*(Silence for reflection)*

**P:** Gracious God,

**C:** have mercy on us. We confess that we have turned from you and given ourselves into the power of sin. We are truly sorry and humbly repent. In your compassion forgive us our sins, known and unknown, things we have done and things we have failed to do. Turn us again to you, and uphold us by your Spirit, so that we may live and serve you in newness of life through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

**P:** In the mercy of Almighty God, Jesus Christ was given to die for us and for his sake God forgives us all our sins. As a called and ordained minister of the Church of Christ, and by his authority, I therefore declare to you the entire forgiveness of all your sins, in the name of the ✠ Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit.

**C: Amen**

# Gathering Song      Come Now Is the Time to Worship

## Chorus

Come now is the time to worship  
Come now is the time to give your heart  
Come just as you are to worship  
Come just as you are before your God  
Come

## Verse 1

One day every tongue  
Will confess You are God  
One day every knee will bow  
Still the greatest treasure remains  
For those who gladly hear You now

## Ending

Come, come, come.

Brian Doerksen

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## Greeting (Projected)

# Kyrie Eleison

Pastor: Lord have mer - cy on me.  
 Cong: Lord have mer - cy on us.  
 Cong: Lord have mer - cy on Earth.

Christ have mer - cy on me.  
 Christ have mer - cy on us.  
 Christ have mer - cy on Earth.

Lord have mer - cy on me.  
 Lord have mer - cy on us.  
 Lord have mer - cy on Earth.

9 Am F 1,2 3.

Hear my hum - ble plea.  
 Hear our hum - ble plea.  
 Hear our hum - ble plea.

## Hymn of Praise

Refrain To Verses



11 This is the feast of vic-to-ry for our God. Al-le - lu Al-le - lu - i - a!

1. Worthy is Christ, the Lamb who was slain, whose blood set us free to be people of God.  
3. Sing with all the people of God, and join — as one in cre - a - tion's song.

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2. Po - wer ri - ches wis dom and strength and ho - nor and bles sing and glo-ry are his.  
4. Bles sing ho - nor glo - ry and might be to God and the Lamb for e - ver!

## Prayer of the Day

L: The Lord be with you.

C: And also with you.

L: Let us pray...

L: Almighty God, you call us and gather us into your community to announce the authority of Jesus and open people's ears through the Word. May Jesus' authority and promise reign in our lives, in whose name we pray,

C: Amen

## Children's Sermon

## THE WORD

### First Reading

Psalm 25:1~9

R: To you, O LORD, I lift up my soul. O my God, in you I trust;

C: let me not be put to shame; let not my enemies exult over me.

R: Indeed, none who wait for you shall be put to shame;

C: they shall be ashamed who are wantonly treacherous.

R: Make me to know your ways, O LORD; teach me your paths.

C: Lead me in your truth and teach me, for you are the God of my salvation;

R: for you I wait all the day long.

C: Remember your mercy, O LORD, and your steadfast love,

R: for they have been from of old.

C: Remember not the sins of my youth or my transgressions;

R: according to your steadfast love remember me,

C: for the sake of your goodness, O LORD!

R: Good and upright is the LORD; therefore he instructs sinners in the way.

C: He leads the humble in what is right, and teaches the humble his way.

R: All the paths of the LORD are steadfast love and faithfulness,

C: for those who focus on his covenant and his testimonies.

R: The Word of the Lord

C: Thanks be to God

### Musical Meditation

### “Make Me a Channel”

### Second Reading

Philippians 2:1~13

<sup>1</sup>If then there is any encouragement in Christ, any consolation from love, any sharing in the Spirit, any compassion and sympathy, <sup>2</sup>make my joy complete: be of the same mind, having the same love, being in full accord and of one mind. <sup>3</sup>Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility regard others as better than yourselves. <sup>4</sup>Let each of you look not to your own interests, but to the interests of others. <sup>5</sup>Let the same mind be in you that was in Christ Jesus,

<sup>6</sup>who, though he was in the form of God,  
did not regard equality with God

as something to be exploited,  
<sup>7</sup>but emptied himself,  
 taking the form of a slave,  
 being born in human likeness.  
 And being found in human form,  
<sup>8</sup>he humbled himself  
 and became obedient to the point of death—  
 even death on a cross.  
<sup>9</sup>Therefore God also highly exalted him  
 and gave him the name  
 that is above every name,  
<sup>10</sup>so that at the name of Jesus  
 every knee should bend,  
 in heaven and on earth and under the earth,  
<sup>11</sup>and every tongue should confess  
 that Jesus Christ is Lord,  
 to the glory of God the Father.

<sup>12</sup>Therefore, my beloved, just as you have always obeyed me, not only in my presence, but much more now in my absence, work out your own salvation with fear and trembling; <sup>13</sup>for it is God who is at work in you, enabling you both to will and to work for his good pleasure.

## Gospel Acclamation

2nd Time Soprano and Tenor Descant

melody

Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu - ia. Lord to whom shall we go?

8 You have the words of e - ter - nal life. Al - le - lu - ia. Al - le - lu ia.

R: The Holy Gospel according to Matthew, the 21<sup>st</sup> Chapter.

C: Glory to you, O Lord

## Gospel

## Matthew 21:23-32

<sup>23</sup>When [Jesus] entered the temple, the chief priests and the elders of the people came to him as he was teaching, and said, “By what authority are you doing these things, and who gave you this authority?” <sup>24</sup>Jesus said to them, “I will also ask you one question; if you tell me the answer, then I will also tell you by what authority I do these things. <sup>25</sup>Did the baptism of John come from heaven, or was it of human origin?” And they argued with one another, “If we say, ‘From heaven,’ he will say to us, ‘Why then did you not believe him?’ <sup>26</sup>But if we say, ‘Of human origin,’ we are afraid of the crowd; for all regard John as a prophet.” <sup>27</sup>So they answered Jesus, “We do not know.” And he said to them, “Neither will I tell you by what authority I am doing these things.

<sup>28</sup>“What do you think? A man had two sons; he went to the first and said, ‘Son, go and work in the vineyard today.’ <sup>29</sup>He answered, ‘I will not’; but later he changed his mind and went. <sup>30</sup>The father went to the second and said the same; and he answered, ‘I go, sir’; but he did not go. <sup>31</sup>Which of the two did the will of his father?” They said, “The first.” Jesus said to them, “Truly I tell you, the tax collectors and the prostitutes are going into the kingdom of God ahead of you. <sup>32</sup>For John came to you in the way of righteousness and you did not believe him, but the tax collectors and the prostitutes believed him; and even after you saw it, you did not change your minds and believe him.”

R: The Gospel of the Lord.

C: Praise to you, O Christ.

*(Please be seated)*

## Sermon

## “The Ultimate Concern”

by Pastor Bill Crabtree

*(After a brief period of reflection, please stand for the hymn of the day.)*

# Hymn of the Day Lord Keep Us Steadfast in Your Word

1 Lord, keep us stead-fast in your word; curb those who  
 2 Lord Je-sus Christ, your pow'r make known, for you are  
 3 O Com-fort-er of price-less worth, send peace and

by de-ceit or sword would wrest the king-dom from your Son  
 Lord of lords a-lone; de-fend your ho-ly church, that we  
 u-ni-ty on earth; sup-port us in our fi-nal strife

and bring to naught all he has done.  
 and may sing your praise e-ter-nal-ly.  
 and lead us out of death to life.

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## Apostles Creed

I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried;  
he descended to the dead.\*  
On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven,  
he is seated at the right hand of the Father,  
and he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church,  
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

## Prayers of the Church

P: Lord, in your mercy

C: Hear our prayer.

## Sharing of the Peace

P: The peace of the Lord be with you always.

C: And also with you.

*(Please be seated following Sharing of the Peace)*

## Community Time

**The Offering** *(Please pass the black friendship pads down the pew – guests we would love to send you a thank you for worshiping with us, please provide your email or address.)*



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# THE SACRAMENT OF THE ALTAR

Offering

Offering Music “Build My Life”



Offering Response

Let the vine yards be fruit-ful Lord, and fill to the brim our cup of bles-sing.

Gath-er a harvest from the seeds that were sown, that we may be fed with the bread of life.

Gather the hopes and dreams of all. U-nite them with the prayers we of-fer.

Grace our ta-ble with your pre-sence and give us a for-taste of the feast to come.

Offering Prayer (Projected)

The Great Thanksgiving (Projected)

Sanctus

Ho - ly — Ho - ly Ho - ly Ho - ly Ho - ly Ho - ly Lord God al - migh - ty

Hea - ven and Earth are full of your glo - ry. Bles-sed three in one. one.

## Words of Institution

### The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name,  
thy kingdom come, thy will be done,  
on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread;  
and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those  
who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom,  
and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

*(Please be seated)*



*All Baptized Christians are welcome to join with us in this meal where we believe the true body and blood of Christ are present in, with, and under the bread and wine/juice. You will be ushered forward and there will be three tables of communion in the front of the sanctuary. You will be given a piece of bread or gluten free wafer by a pastor or lay leader. On the table you will have a choice of using the chalice for intinction or a small cup of wine or juice. If you choose to use the cup, then dispose it in the baskets. Adults who do not receive the Supper or children who have not received First Communion instruction can come forward for a blessing. If you have not been baptized, one of our pastors would welcome a conversation with you about Baptism.*

### Agnus Dei

D      Em                      D                      Em

Lamb of God, have mer - cy up - on us. Grant us peace to live a - new each

5      D                      C                      G                      D                      Em      D                      C

day. Lamb of God. You take a-way the sin of the world.

10      Em                      D                      Em      D                      C                      D                      Em                      E

Grant us peace. Grant us your peace. 1. peace. 2. peace.

## Communion Hymn      Lord I Need You

### Verse 1

Lord I come I confess  
Bowling here I find my rest  
And without You I fall apart  
You're the one that guides my heart

### Chorus 1

Lord I need You oh I need You  
Ev'ry hour I need You  
My one defense my righteousness  
Oh God how I need You

### Verse 2

Where sin runs deep Your grace is more  
Where grace is found is where You are  
And where You are Lord I am free  
Holiness is Christ in me  
Where You are Lord I am free  
Holiness is Christ in me

### Bridge

So teach my song to rise to You  
When temptation comes my way  
And when I cannot stand I'll fall on You  
Jesus You're my hope and stay  
And when I cannot stand I'll fall on You  
Jesus You're my hope and stay

### Chorus 2

Lord I need You oh I need You  
Ev'ry hour I need You  
My one defense my righteousness  
Oh God how I need You  
My one defense my righteousness  
Oh God how I need You

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Blessing (Projected)

Post-Communion Prayer (Projected)

Benediction (Projected)

Sending Hymn

The Lord Now Sends Us Forth



En - via - do soy de Dios, mi ma - no lis - ta es - tá  
The Lord now sends us forth with hands to serve and give,  
pa - ra cons - truir con él un mun - do fra - ter - nal.  
to make of all the earth a bet - ter place to live.  
Los án - ge - les no son en - via - dos a cam - biar  
The an - gels are not sent in - to our world of pain  
un mun - do de do - lor por un mun - do me - jor;  
to do what we were meant to do in Je - sus' name;  
me ha to - ca - do a mí ha - cer - lo rea - li - dad.  
that falls to you and me and all who are made free.  
A - yú - da - me, Se - ñor, a ha - cer tu vo - lun - tad.  
Help us, O Lord, we pray, to do your will to - day.

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L: We are grace filled!  
C: And Spirit led!

L: Go in Peace and serve the Lord.  
C: Thanks be to God!

Postlude

Flowers      Deanna Gossett & Bonnie Chrey – In memory of Loved Ones

Special Thanks:    Alleluia Ringers & EWB

This Week's Worship Leaders— October 1<sup>st</sup>

October Altar Care: Val Stueven, Randy Randolph and Maggie Duff

Liturgists: (8:30am) Sue Shultz (11:00 am) Jenny Grenfell

Communion Assistants: (8:30 am) Rick Cotter, Tom and Sue Starks  
(11:00 am) Beth and Violet Adams, Bob Arper

Acolytes: (8:30 am) Mae Ceraldi (11:00 am) Madelynn Story

Readers: (8:30 am) Barb Smithson (11:00 am) Jim Lamb

Readings for October 8<sup>th</sup>

Isaiah 5:1–7, Philippians 3:4b–14, & Matthew 21:33–46

As you read the lesson, ask yourself two questions:

Why was this story told? Where do you see God at work?

**Prayer and Care:** Taylor Riffner in his baptism last Wednesday. Confirmation Youth on their retreat. Adelyn Day, suffering from a knee injury. Sonny Kanlian recovering from valve replacement. Tom Taft hospitalized in Auburn. JoAnne Wales diagnosed with a heart condition. Randy Randolph in the return of his cancer and the treatments to come. Dave Ryan recovering from brain surgery. Dawn Hamrick's father, Ed Stoermer recovering from a stroke. Jordan and Kayla Lokken moving to Wisconsin. Welcoming the USS Nimitz and it'

**Recovering from Surgery/Illness:** John Daly and Ace Edwards

**Facing Cancer:** Rudy Burress, Elizabeth Domahidy, Julie Enger, Kay Kersten, Ron Maddux, Jim Piatt, Gerry Randall, George Roberts, Dave Rosinbum, Melissa Tippets, David Trexler, Lisa Stephens, June Stocks, Carol Wales, Scott Wills, Jim Weisbrodt and Bill & Darlene Yocum.

**Deployed & Military Support & Their Families:** Jared Cain, Timothy Dao, Rebecca Mackey, Andrew Quam, Daniel Reed, David Wooten and all their families.

**Continued Prayer:** Clara Barr, Bob Brien, Don Budden, Marj Carlson, Roger Eagan Sr., Randy Fossum, Mary Clare Gehring, Joe Gierke, Dawn Hamrick, Sharron Lindkvist, Jean Locke, Matt Ryan, Jean Sherbesman, and Clinton Sperr.

Remembering all who are homebound or in ill health.



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